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UGANDA PROTECTORATE.

AN ORDINANCE

Enacted by His Britannic Majesty's Commissioner for the Uganda Protectorate.

No. 6 of 1903.

Protection of Forests.

IT is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to make Rules and to fix a scale of charges for the cutting or removal of any forest produce on, and for the protection of forests on, Crown lands in the Uganda Protectorate.

2. No person shall cut or remove any tree, bush, plant, or any part or produce thereof from any Crown lands except under the conditions set forth in the Rules hereunder.

3. Until the Commissioner shall publish new Rules under this Ordinance "The Forestry Regulations, 1900," and the Schedule thereto shall be deemed to be Rules made by the Commissioner hereunder with respect to the cutting and removal of timber and the protection of forests.

4. Any infringement of this Ordinance or of the Rules thereunder shall be deemed an offence against this Ordinance, and shall be punishable with imprisonment of either kind not exceeding three months, or fine not exceeding 2,000 rupees, or both, and, in addition, to forfeiture of any goods, receptacles, or things in relation to which, or the contents of which, any breach is committed.

5. "The Forestry Regulations, 1900," are hereby repealed.

6. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Forestry Ordinance, 1903."

J. HAYES SADLER,
His Majesty's Commissioner.

Entebbe, Uganda, May 20, 1903.

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